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SUBJ: DEATH OF PRC DIPLOMAT

- 1. LU TA-CHUN, ATTACHE OF PRC EMBASSY IN ACCRA, DROWNED AT BEACH FEW MILES EAST OF ACCRA, JULY 20.
- 2. POLITICAL OFFICER JARREL H. RICHARDSON, WHO WAS AT SAME BEACH, ATTEMPTED TO REVIVE LU BY APPLYING MOUTH-TO-MOUTH RESUSCITATION AT BEACH AND IN HIS VEHICLE DURING TRIP TO MILITARY HOSPITAL IN ACCRA WHERE LU WAS DECLARED DEAD ON ARRIVAL.
- 3. PRC AMBASSADOR AND OFFICIALS HAVE EXPRESSED GREAT APPRECIATION FOR RICHARDSON'S ASSISTANCE, FOR AMBASSADOR BLACK'S NOTE OF CONDOLENCE AND FOR EMBASSY'S OFFERS TO HELP IN ANY OTHER WAY INCLUDING PROVISION OF COFFIN. PRC EMBASSY DECIDED TO CREMATE BODY HERE AND RETURN ASHES TO PEKING.

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